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Mr. Jon Goldstein, Director
New Mexico Environment Department
Water and Waste Management Division
P.O. Box 26110
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

Dear Mr. Goldstein:

**Re: Smelter/Tailing Soil Investigation Units
Amendment Study Workplan - Chino AOC**

Submitted under separate cover is a revised Amendment Study Workplan for the Smelter/Tailing Soil Investigation Units (STIU) under the Chino Administrative Order on Consent. The revision includes a supplemental 5 year monitoring plan as requested by the New Mexico Environmental Department. This proposal was submitted today to Messrs. Chris Eustice and Phil Harrigan.

Please contact Ms. Pam Pinson at (505) 537-4213 if you have any questions regarding this amendment study.

Sincerely,

Timothy E. Eastep, Manager
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